

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK-----X
HOWARD SMITH,

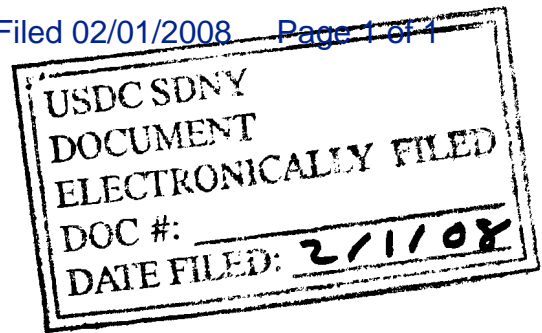
Plaintiff,

-against-

C.O. LAWELLIN, et al.,

Defendants.
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08 CIVIL 473 (RMB)(KNF)



The above entitled action is referred to the designated Magistrate Judge for the following purpose(s):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Pretrial (includes scheduling, discovery, non-dispositive pretrial motions, and settlement)	<input type="checkbox"/> Consent under 28 U.S.C. § 636(c) for all purposes (including trial)
<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Non-Dispositive Motion/Dispute:*	<input type="checkbox"/> Consent under 28 U.S.C. § 636(c) for limited purpose (e.g., dispositive motion, preliminary injunction)
<input type="checkbox"/> If referral is for discovery disputes when the District Judge is unavailable, the time period of the referral:	<input type="checkbox"/> Habeas Corpus
<input type="checkbox"/> Settlement*	<input type="checkbox"/> Social Security
<input type="checkbox"/> Inquest After Default/Damages Hearing	<input type="checkbox"/> Dispositive Motion (i.e., motion requiring a Report and Recommendation)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Particular Motion:
	All Such Motions: <input type="checkbox"/>

* Do not check if already referred for general pretrial.

SO ORDERED.Dated: New York, New York
February 1, 2008

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Richard M. Berman".

 RICHARD M. BERMAN
U.S.D.J.